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## The Celebrated "Leaf Ant"

One of the oldest little creatures in all animal nature is the "leaf ant" of central America. Although different species of this oddity are known to inhabit the American continent from Brazil to Mexico, the real home of the true leaf ant is in Nicaragua. To all outward appearances this little insect is a common ant, but one of gigantic size, it must be admitted, when compared with the ants of our temperate regions, being on an average over an inch in length. The habit for which these ants are so celebrated, and one which we could hardly believe were it not for the testimony of reputable naturalists, is that of carrying a leaf for a sunshade, just as our women and men carry parasols and umbrellas for the same purpose.

When at work, the leaf carrying ants look like a little army in which each individual member is protected from the sun's rays by a little banner of green. Another remarkable fact in connection with the leaf carrier is that only those ants which carry the little leafy protection. When a lot of burden bearers have deposited their burdens, they discard their parasols and return for a load without the leaf which made them such conspicuous objects when on the "up trip."

## Millet and "The Angelus"

It was only after long years of struggle and dire poverty, through which Millet was consoled and supported by his wife, that the peasant painter was able to take the three roomed cottage at Barbizon and "try to do something really good." It was then that he began to paint that most beautiful "poem of poverty," the "Angelus," which is today one of the most valuable pictures in the world. Again and again he threw aside the picture in despair of ever finishing it to his satisfaction, and as often his wife replaced it on the easel and induced him to continue.

On one occasion he was so incensed at not being able to produce a certain effect that he seized a knife and would have destroyed the canvas and ended the matter once for all had not his wife fortunately seized his hand and induced him to give the picture another trial. Thus it was that at last the "Angelus" found a place on the walls of the Louvre. The success it won encouraged Millet to paint many more pictures and thus place himself among the immortals in art.

## Abraham Lincoln.

This Lincoln of the black loam, who built his neighbor's cabin and hoed his neighbor's corn, who had been storekeeper and postman and flatboatman, who had followed a rough justice round a rough circuit, who had killed a local bully in the dirt, rescued women from insult, tended the bedside of many a sick coward who feared the judgment, told coarse stories on barrels by candlelight (but these are pure beside the vice of great cities), who addressed political mobs in the raw, swooping down from the stump and flinging embroilers east and west—the physician who was one day to tend the sickbed of the nation in her agony, whose large hand was to be on her feeble pulse and whose knowledge, almost divine, was to perform the miracle of her healing.—Winston Churchill's "The Crisis."

## A Chinese Joke.

There was a man in Cheung-an who was very fond of giving dinners, but the food given was atrocious. One day a guest threw himself on his knees in front of this gentleman and said, "Am I not a friend of yours?"

"You are, indeed," replied his host. "Then I must ask of you a favor," said the guest, "and you must grant it before I rise from my knees."

"Well, what is it?" inquired his host.

"Next time invite me to dinner any more," cried the guest, at which the whole party burst into a loud roar of laughter.—North China Herald.

## Oddest Parasite In Creation.

Do readers know that the royal Bengal tiger is infested with one of the strangest creatures that ever lived? It is said to be a fact easily demonstrated or proved by one who has access to a zoological collection that the web of the foot of tigers of the above named species is inhabited by a blood sucking insect about the size of a common flea which is a perfect counterpart of a tiger in every particular, shape, claws, tail and stripes included.

## Eternal Lamps.

A common superstition that the ancients possessed the art of making lamps which would burn forever for a long time obtained, and it was claimed that one such lamp was discovered in the tomb of Rosicrucius. Science, however, has long set this, together with other superstitions, forever at rest, since it has been demonstrated that fire will not burn in a chamber from which the air has been exhausted.

## A Laugh Saved a Life.

The Rev. George Harvest, rector of Thames Ditton, England, was very absentminded, so that on one occasion he went into a friend's house, and, seeing no servant, he rambled over it, finally entering the room of an old lady ill of a quinsy. He stumbled over a clothes-horse, and his awkwardness made the patient burst into such a fit of laughter that the quinsy broke, and she lived many years to thank him.

## AN OCEAN CEMETERY.

THE MOST DEADLY TRAP FOR SHIPS IN ALL THE WORLD.

Bare, Bleak and Treeless Quessant, the Notorious Island of Terror, and the Awful Forests That Supply It With Wood In Plenty.

Far out in the Atlantic ocean, off the northern French coast, almost due west from Brest, lies a great rocky island that is one of the most deadly traps for ships in all the world. It is the island of Quessant, the notorious Ile de l'Epouvante, the island of terror. Bare, without a tree to break its monotony, it lies in the path of the ships seeking the English channel. If they steer too far north, the hundred shoals and reefs of the British coast open their jaws for them. If they sail too far south, Quessant reaches for their homes.

Bleak and far away from any other land as the island of terror is, it still has its population. What mysterious thing is it which attracts that population and makes it cling? The infrequent visitor sees funny flocks of little sheep, scarcely twice as large as hares. He sees small herds of rough coated ponies almost as tiny as the sheep. These are the only signs of productive industry to be seen. There is fishing, of course, but fishing can be prosecuted better from the mainland, with less risk and a more convenient market.

What is the mysterious attraction, then? So asked Alexander Shuette, the traveler, when he made his way from the coast of Brittany to Quessant. The answer came, at least in part, one evening when a great storm swept in from the Atlantic and bent at the shores with unexampled fury.

He says: "The daughter of my hostess led me up the narrow staircase to my room. As I ascended I noticed, without remarking the oddity of it at the time, that the staircase was of shining oak. I was ushered into my room, a large, low chamber, completely paneled from top to bottom. Putting the lamp on a huge oak table that shone like a mirror, she said:

"If you should need more firewood, monsieur, you will find it in the next room. Do not spare it. It is bitter cold, and there will be more than enough firewood in Quessant in two or three days. Good night!"

"I sat down before the blazing fire and prepared for a cozy evening. The storm raged in the narrow streets of the little village. The surges thundered against the granite breast of the coast. The endless artillery fire, and sometimes I imagined that the very island trembled under the onslaught of the hundreds of millions of tons of water.

"As I sat listening I gazed into the flames. The wood struck me as strange. And then I wondered. On the entire island there is not a single tree, and yet I had been told not to spare firewood. 'There will be more than enough in a few days.'"

"I arose and opened the door into the next room. That room was possibly 20 feet high and was filled almost to the top with timber. First with wood, then with growing awe, I gazed at the piles of wood. Truly she was right, the little maid, when she said that one need not be economical with firewood on the island of Quessant. There were timbers of every shape—splinters, masts and spars, planks from decks and sides, remnants of a steering wheel, benches from the fore-castle, yellow, black, brown, white and red woods, even two figureheads, some bright, as if they were new, some crusted with shells and hung with seaweeds. In the entire room there was not a piece of wood that did not come from some wrecked ship.

"When I returned to my room, I took the lamp and examined the place closely. I noticed a strange, delicate, yet very insistent fragrance—sandalwood. Thick wooden pillars supported the ceiling. They were of a beautiful black-ebony, as I lived. The panels were rosewood, mahogany and cedar. Even an unpracticed eye could see that all these precious woods once had ornamented the cabins of noble ships. The heavy carved chairs, the polished oaken table, even the bed in which I was to sleep, all came from shipwrecks.

"Now I understood the meaning of the words 'strand rights.' In favor of this island, far away from the world and murderous for the ships that tie the world together, Æolus, with his bride of the winds, is more fruitful than is Ceres to the mainlands, with her harvest moon and her blessings of fruit. The blessings of Quessant came from the gale.

"The forests of Quessant! Are there such others in the entire world, so unique, so terrible? This forest, instead of trees, has the mighty masts of ships. In that tremendous forest are the oaks and pines of Canada and Maine, the cypress of Florida, the baobabs of Africa, the teak of Hindustan, the ebony and sandalwood of South America. The awful forests of Quessant form the visible apex of a vast cone that stretches from New York to Cape La Hague."

## Before the Footlights.

"I understand that, young man who calls on you," said old Mr. Straithair, "wants to become an actor."

"Yes," replied his fair daughter, "he does think of appearing before the footlights."

"Humph! The next time he calls you'd better warn him to think of disappearing before the foot lights,"—Catholic Standard and Times.

## "The Way to Win a Woman."

The first thing a woman wants to be well treated; once in awhile she wants to be petted; the third thing, she wants to be admired; the fourth, she never wants to be contradicted.—Dr. Popper.

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## Changed Times.

Times have changed indeed from the time when Sydney Smith complacently observed that the United States had so much wilderness clearing to do that it might well take its literature, learning and luxury in the bulk from English factories.

"Why," he had asked, "should the Americans write books when a six weeks' passage brings them, in their own tongue, our sense, science and genius. There will be more than enough in a few days."

We might almost reverse this and ask, "Why should the English feel ill at ease when a six days' passage brings them our sense, science and genius?" For the time at least the Rev. Sydney Smith's chief notoriety seems to be that he was the author of certain observations whose truthfulness has proved as brief as it was bitter.—Harper's Weekly.

## Steered Straight.

"If I thought that any girl would accept me," casually remarked the bashful Mr. Dolyers, "I'd propose tomorrow."

"Why not this evening?" asked Miss Fosdick coyly.

The affair will take place in about a month.—Detroit Free Press.

## First Public Pianist.

Of all the myriads who play the piano how many know that "Daddy Ling" Diddin was the first man who played the instrument in public? That was in 1767, and the feat was performed at the first night of "The Beggar's Opera"—Invention.

Ants can stand extremes of heat and cold. Forty-eight hours' exposure to frost will not kill them, and one sort has been observed to build its nest in chunks in a blacksmith's forge.

## The Unicorn.

Chinese annals of great antiquity contain numerous detailed accounts of the supposedly fabulous unicorn, in which the description are identical with those handed down from the earliest times in the mythology or occultic countries. From this it is inferred that at some time in the remote past there actually did exist a single horned equine or cervine animal of some sort.

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Poisonous Snakes In Demand by Doctors For Experimenting.

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"The poisonous snakes—the water moccasins, rattlesnakes and copperheads—are bought for zoos. Now and then a doctor buys them heavily for awhile. He wants to experiment with their poison. After he has been bitten two or three times he stops buying."

There are a number of people who buy snakes for pets. These people always, without an exception, make pets also of rats, mice and turtles. Any one of snakes is sure to be fond of those other things too. They keep their snakes and turtles and rats as near as possible to them. Often they keep them in their bedrooms. There was a young man who used to come here last year, and he brought a snake with him with his hand in among the coils of a careful of snakes for hours. He would take one's head in his hands and lift its face close up to his own and gaze for a long time in its eyes. Then he would hold it off and stroke it and study its changing colors in a kind of trance. I don't know what pleasure or satisfaction he got out of the snakes.

He brought over a dozen from me during the year and kept them in his bedroom in a boarding house. They all escaped one night through a rat-hole and got among the neighbors and raised general ballyhoo.—Philadelphia Record.

## LOVE AMONG SAVAGES.

Ability to Stand Torture a Test of Masculine Devotion.

Among the Arabs of upper Egypt the youth who proposes to a girl must submit to a whipping at the hands of all her male relatives, and, says a dry narrator, "if he wishes to be considered worth having he must receive the chastisement, which is sometimes exceedingly severe, with an expression of enjoyment."

Not infrequently it is the maiden herself who imposes the test. The Sakalava girls of Madagascar make their lovers stand at a short distance from a clever spear thrower and catch between the arm and side every weapon flung at them. If the youth "displays fear or fails to catch the spear, he is ignominiously rejected, but if there be no flinching and the spears are caught he is at once proclaimed an accepted lover."

Worse than this is the trial enforced upon their suitors by the Dongolowe girls. When in doubt as to the respective merits of two rivals, the young lady fastens a sharply pointed knife to each elbow; then, seating herself between her lovers, she drives the blades slowly into their thighs, and the hero who takes the greatest length of steel without a murmur wins the bride.

Major Mitchell in his "Expeditions Into the Interior of Eastern Australia" says of the natives on the river Darling that all their ideas of fighting are associated with the possession of gins or wives and that after a battle the wives "do not always follow their fugitive husbands from the field, but frequently go over, as a matter of course, to the victors." "None but the brave deserve the fair" is a maxim well understood of most barbaric races.—Chambers' Journal.

## Composition on Love.

Love is a thing that makes people think each other pretty when nobody else does.

It causes two persons to be awful kind when you're round and so quiet when you're not round—only in a different way.

It also causes people to sit together on one end of a bench when there's heaps of room on the other end.

Nurses has it and sometimes policemen. That's when they don't know where you are, and you have lots of fun playing on the grass.

Husbands and wives has it, but most generally only lovers. Old people don't have much, 'cause it has to be about dimples and red cheeks and fluffy curls and lots of things which old people don't ever have.

When I grow up, I'll have to go and love some one, I suppose. Only she'll have to let me say what I do.

I've written all I know about it till I do grow up.—Eddy in New York Sun.

## Nothing Like Accuracy.

First Clubman—Woggles, I want you to decide a bet. Higginson says the quotation, "Hell hath no fury like a woman scorned," is from the book of Psalms, and I say it's from Job. We've put up \$5 on it and agreed to leave it to you.

## Pin Money.

Spilled Salary—Why are you dividing your month's salary in two heaps, Henry?

Indignant Husband—I thought I ought to put this five in the bank this month, love. The other \$95 is your pin money.—Ohio State Journal.

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## HE COWED THE LION.

THE DARKY BELTED ALL THE FIGHT OUT OF MONARCH.

Laughable Manner in Which the Big and Ugly Circus Animal Was Returned to the Showman After a Railroad Smash Up.

"It's queer how animals will act in a railroad wreck," said the boss carman. "Now there was th' Baberlee wreck. Six cars was in th' ditch an' half o' th' show's dens was under 'em. There was one cage o' monkeys mashed flat that we knowed of, an' a lot o' th' other animals had took t' th' woods, 'tittle animals, zebras an' wolves an' deer an' such like. Nothin' t' do any harm exceptin' th' big lion, Monarch. His den was bottom up in a little puddle o' ditch water, with a hole stove in it big enough t' let out a cow, an' Monarch himself was gone with the little animals."

"Well, it was all off with makin' th' stand that day, so we put up th' rums, got th' cookhouse outfit down on th' ground, had breakfast an' started in t' dig th' stuff out o' th' ditch. Th' railroad company's wreckin crew come along t' help us, an' we'd got partly well under way when a tall, black back darky come out o' th' woods an' stood round rubberin'."

"Nobody paid any attention t' him fer awhile, but by'n'by Mack, th' chandler man, spoke t' him, kind o' kidded him about belin' han'some, er some such guff. It was Missouri, an' he was a real black back. Didn't have anything t' say back—didn't say anything at all, in fact, fer awhile. Just shuffled round in his cowhide boots from one foot t' th' other an' grinned bashfullike. By'n'by when he saw we didn't roast him hard he kind o' took courage.

"Did any o' you gemmen lose a d' raffe?" he says.

"Giraffe?" Mack says. "No; we never owned no such thing with this trick. Why?"

"Well, boss, Ah done foun' somethin' up in mah 'tato patch this mawnin', an' Ah 'lowed as maybe hit 'longed t' you all."

"Mack got interested. 'Wot does it look like?'"

"Lawdy, boss, hit's mos' monstrous. Nevah did see no sech ole thing befoh, sah. Big cat vahnut, with yaller eyes, an' hit done come a-snakin' an' a-spitin' at me soon as Ah got out o' bed."

"Where is it?" says Mack.

"Oh, Ah cawt hit all rightly. Done put some rogit' hit neck an' tied hit 'mah cabin'."

"Go an' get it an' fetch it down here," says Mack. Then th' wreckin crew got a tackle run' another den, an' we forgot all about th' darky.

"Maybe it was 20 minutes, an' maybe it was half an hour when we heard a noise over on th' road amongst th' trees—a noise kinder like a nigger drivin' a mule or like somethin' ben drivin'. It come nearer an' louder an' louder an' nearer. Everybody stopped work an' listened, an' th' ole man himself come out o' his car with his napkin hangin' round his neck.

"What is that?" he pipes up in his snappy way. "Who is that out there? Go an' see what that racket is, some o' you boys. Hurry up, now."

"Nobody paid any attention t' him, an' th' noise got nearer an' nearer. In a couple o' minutes a cloud o' dust sailed out from behind th' trees. When it got within a hundred yards o' th' track, it cleared up a bit, an' there was that big, black nigger with a rope in one mit an' a piece o' fence rail in th' other. On th' other end o' th' rope was Monarch."

"Of all th' mean, sneakin', under-handed cat animals that ever traveled with a circus Monarch was th' worst an' a powerful fighter when he had any sense. Everybody stopped work an' listened, an' th' ole man himself come out o' his car with his napkin hangin' round his neck.

"Well, that darky was a-laminin' him with his chunk o' fence an' talkin' mule talk t' him wuss than anything ever saw in th' south."

"C'm on 'long here, you yaller-eyed devil," he was sayin'. "Ah don't know what you is, but you ain't goin' to spit at me no more. C'm on 'long here, you big sassy vahnut, an' with that he'd him with his piece o' fence an' let drive with his cowhide boots."

"An' you kin bet your life Monarch was a-comin'. I never saw a critter so cowed as he was. Why, when that nigger brought him right in amongst us there was nobody that took th' trouble t' open up a gangway, an' I reckon any young critter could 't' to him by th' scruff o' th' neck an' turned him over on his back. He was jest a great, overgrown pet tomcat, with all th' fight an' meanness walloped out o' him."

"We'd yanked his den up on t' th' road bed with th' hole in th' den butted against a wagon. Th' door was open, an' when Monarch saw his happy little home waitin' there fer him he jerked his rope out o' th' darky's hand an' bolted inside it



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We look to the friends of the Ledger to keep up the interest in the publication of public interest in any part of the county. Our regular correspondents will be furnished with writing material and stamps for this purpose. Births, deaths, marriages, accidents, amusements, mining and other industrial progress, social topics, new buildings, persons leaving or coming into the county, are always acceptable. Give details of important items. Matter in how rough a shape. Avoid personal remarks that might give offense. Visitors between towns in the county need not be mentioned, but visits from or to places beyond the county may be recorded.

## A LAME ARGUMENT.

Amador county takes out of Sutter Creek now \$5,486 more than she would if we were incorporated. Amador county says to Sutter Creek: "Incorporate and I will give you \$5,486 to help pay for your sewers, streets and fire equipment." It will be argued by the wise ones that if the county makes us this donation she will be that much short and will have to increase her tax rate accordingly. True, but what share of the shortage will Sutter Creek pay? Just one-eighth, because the assessable property being four and one-half millions, Sutter Creek has but one-eighth of it in her limits; so it will be seen that this \$5,486 extra taxes Amador county will require, our share will be less than \$700, leaving us a clear gain of nearly \$5,000.—Record.

We find the above in the Amador Record in an article arguing in favor of the incorporation of Sutter Creek. It is claimed that by diverting the road tax levy on the assessed value of property within the proposed city limits of Sutter Creek, also the road poll taxes collected and the sum paid for county licenses within that town, the city would have a clear revenue of \$5000 to start with, without paying a cent more taxes than the property holders there are now paying. In other words Sutter Creek is urged to incorporate because it would throw upon the balance of the county the burden of maintaining the roads. As the law provides that neither road tax nor county licenses can be collected for county purposes within the limits of municipalities, therefore, the Amador Record argues, self-interest should prompt Sutter Creek to incorporate, because the lion's share of the cost of supporting the city government would come out of the county treasury. Unfortunately, the way things have been run in Amador county there is some force in the argument. But if the road money derived from property tax and poll taxes were disbursed geographically as the law provides, there would be no force whatever in this argument. The law expressly provides that the road fund shall be apportioned as nearly as possible to each district in proportion to the revenue collected in such district. If \$5000 is received from Township Four from road taxes, the same amount is supposed to be apportioned to that territory for the improvement and maintenance of its roads. The same principle holds good with regard to the towns. If the property-holders of Sutter Creek pay into the county treasury \$1500 for road purposes, that amount is supposed to be returned in the maintenance of the streets within the town limits. So that if the spirit of the law were carried out, neither Sutter Creek nor any other town in the county would gain or lose by incorporation, as far as money available for road improvements is concerned.

We admit, however, as the road money is being spent, and has been spent for years, the tendency is to drive the towns to incorporation for the sake of self-protection against a system of gross injustice. As far as Jackson is concerned, and we presume it is the same in Sutter Creek, hardly a dollar of public money is expended upon the streets of the town. We pay our road taxes year after year, to the tune of \$4000, and the entire sum is dumped upon the roads outside the town proper. If our streets need fixing—and they do badly—the people are told that it would be sacrilege to touch the county money for that purpose, and the property-holders have to put up specially for the streets, or let them go unfixed. That is the policy that has held sway here for so long, that many people have actually got the notion that the law forbids county officers repairing the streets of a town with county funds. Is it to be wondered at, therefore, that in face of this unrighteous discrimination the principal towns of Amador are turning to incorporation as the remedy. That would turn the tables. It would make the outside roads depend upon the property-holders adjacent thereto. The argument of the above extract is therefore entirely misleading. Sutter Creek must not bank on the proposition that she will be benefited by withdrawing from the combination of

property-holders in the support of county roads, and that the rest of the county will be compelled to make good the shortage in revenue in order that she can use the money she is now paying for road purposes for internal improvements. Suppose Jackson and Ione follow suit, prompted by the same spirit, to throw the cost of roads outside city limits off their shoulders, what would become of the argument that incorporation can be maintained without any material addition to taxation.

The same rule applies to the license question. Although it is true, that under the recent ruling of the supreme court incorporated towns are cut off from contributing money in the shape of license tax toward the support of county government, it is entirely erroneous that this revenue will be available for internal improvement. The principal source of this money comes from liquor licenses, and the license on this traffic is imposed mainly because the business is of a nature that it entails extra cost upon the government. It is very doubtful whether the sum derived from liquor licenses reimburses the county for the cost of the criminal business growing out of the sale of intoxicating drinks. Incorporated towns, while receiving the license, are also saddled with the duty of maintaining law and order, and it is extremely doubtful after striking a balance, whether the outcome would be in favor of or against the city from a monetary point of view.

The truth seems to be, disguise it as we may, that incorporation must necessarily entail upon a community in extra taxation the sum necessarily involved in defraying the running expenses of the city. That is the theory upon which the municipal law is based, and if the laws relating to the expenditure of county funds were strictly observed, it would be found to be practically correct.

## PACIFIC COAST MINER.

We are in receipt of the special edition of the Pacific Coast Miner for September. This magnificent work consists of about 90 pages, elaborately illustrated with scenes connected with the mining industry of California. The descriptive articles of the various mining counties are written principally by well-known writers, residents of the respective sections treated upon. The edition is a very valuable work, giving a clear-cut view of the manifold resources of the state from a mineral standpoint, and cannot fail to attract attention when distributed among the visitors to the Buffalo exposition, and be the means of securing the investment of more outside capital in our mines. The typographical appearance of the edition is in the very best style of the printer's art.

The Examiner is now reaping as it has sown. It merits all the adverse criticism that is being piled upon it. In the presence of this storm of censure it is dumb. That is about the only wise course it has pursued since it developed into a rabid rule-or-ruin organ. Its only defense is that it is the "paper of the people." What people? Its columns show only too clearly the kind of people it is the mouthpiece for—the Most, Czolgoszes—and anarchists generally. Its villainous system of cartooning and vilification has done more to weaken the respect for law and good government than the ravings of a score of out-and-out anarchist lecturers. And its conduct in this crisis—when the maledictions of the American people against journals of its stripe, are being heard on every hand—only deepens the public contempt. Instead of admitting its error, in pandering to the baser side of human nature, and resolving to mend its ways in the future, it vies with the respectable class of journals in extolling the virtues and the wise statesmanship of our martyred president, McKinley, whom it has systematically abused from the moment he occupied the presidential chair. It is to be hoped that the better class of citizens will continue to realize that they have no use for papers of the Examiner class.

## Better For Blood Than Sarsaparilla.

For those living in the Malaria Districts. Grove's Tasteless Chilli Tonic, may 24-6m.

## Stood Death Off.

E. B. Munday, a lawyer of Honietta, Tex., once fooled a grave-digger. He says: "My brother was very low with malarial fever and jaundice. I persuaded him to try Electric Bitters, and he was soon much better, but continued to decline until he was wholly cured. I am sure Electric Bitters saved his life." This remedy expels malaria, kills disease germs and purifies the blood; aids digestion, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, cures constipation, dyspepsia, nervous diseases, kidney troubles, female complaints; gives perfect health. Only 50c at Spagnoli's drug store.

In the sick room or on your sideboard Jesse Moore "AA" Whiskey is indispensable.

B. W. Pursell, Kinterville, Pa., says he suffered 25 years with piles and could obtain no relief until De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve effected a cure. Counterfeits are worthless. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

Soused pig feet, salami, and choice ham and bacon at Caminetti's Central Market.

## SUPERIOR COURT.

BOX, R. C. BEST, JUDGE.

Geo. W. Morrow vs. W. S. Weymouth—Demurrer argued and submitted.

Orr vs. L. Fernandez—Defendant allowed 20 days to answer.

High Point Mining Co. vs. Brown—Demurrer argued and submitted.

J. C. Jones vs. B. B. Jones—Decree of divorce granted plaintiff.

Estate of John Kallugaz—Final account of executor settled and allowed.

## NEW SUITS.

Elmer Tripp, administrator, vs. Great Eastern Gold Mining Company—Suit to recover the sum of \$720 with interest at 7 per cent. The complaint recites that John Tripp, deceased, did work on the above named mine at Plymouth, to the above amount within two years prior to the 31 day of August, 1900, on which day said John Tripp died. That plaintiff was appointed administrator of his estate. Judgment is asked for said amount, and interest, and costs. W. J. McGee is attorney for plaintiff.

George Barge vs. Andrew Bargala—Suit to recover \$150 due on note dated Sept. 21, 1897, and given by defendant in favor of plaintiff, with interest at 10 per cent. The note is secured by mortgage. All interest has been paid and \$8 on principal. Judgment is asked for \$142, and costs. W. J. McGee is attorney for plaintiff.

Julius Lowenthal vs. Victor E. Montirichard, incompetent, Lulu Montirichard (guardian) et al.—The complaint recites that on March 12, 1900, defendant, Victor E. Montirichard, was adjudged incompetent by the Superior Court of San Francisco, and letters of guardianship of his estate and person were issued to Lulu Montirichard. Said Montirichard was the owner of the Slaughterhouse mine near Oleta. On the 18th of May, 1899, he entered into an agreement with plaintiff agreeing to deed a one-third interest in said mine in consideration of said plaintiff paying the taxes assessed against the said mining property for the year 1898-9; that plaintiff paid said taxes, amounting to \$5.40; that said V. E. and Lulu Montirichard have refused to convey said one-third interest. That the other defendants named in complaint, viz. Peter Forzani and W. Routledge claim to have acquired some interest in said mine subsequent to the above-mentioned agreement. Suit is therefore brought for specific performance of said contract, and that a special commissioner be appointed to execute a deed of one-third of said mine in behalf of said Victor E. Montirichard. B. P. Lapschiet is plaintiff's attorney.

Ada Hodges vs. Geo. Hodges—Suit for divorce. Parties were married December, 1892, the issue of said marriage being two children, a girl 8 years, a boy 4 years old. The community property consists of a lot in Sutter Creek with dwelling house, and furniture therein. Defendant is a miner by occupation, receiving \$65 per month as wages. The complaint alleges that defendant has treated plaintiff in a cruel and inhuman manner, and called her vile names. Judgment is asked for a divorce, the custody of the children, and the whole of the community property. W. J. McGee is attorney for plaintiff.

## Suicided While Insane.

Coroner Gritton held an inquest last Saturday over the body of Andrew Dennis, a resident of Willow Springs district, below Drytown, who was found dead in the cabin of C. H. Henderson of Mount Echo the previous evening, with the top of his head blown off. It seems from the testimony adduced at the inquest, that Mr. Henderson left his home about 4 o'clock on the afternoon of the 20th, and proceeded to a neighbor's (Mr. Tonzi) house. He stayed there until 8 o'clock, and then returned to his own place. He found the door ajar; he had closed it when he left. Striking a match he noticed the form of a man stretched on the floor. Thinking it was probably some one drunk, he lit the lamp, and was then horrified to discover that the top of his head was gone, with a gun between the victim's legs, the muzzle toward his head. He at once looked up some neighbors, J. Patterson, G. W. Walker, and others. The deceased was recognized by Mr. Bonham as Andrew Dennis. He knew him by the thumb of one hand being missing. He had been mentally deranged for about three months, and would wander from home whenever he got a chance. Although his daughter kept watch over him as far as possible, he no doubt wandered away on the occasion, and entered the Henderson cabin, and finding a shotgun there, sat down in a chair, placed the muzzle of the gun in his mouth, and touched the trigger with a cane. The gun was shot, barrel, and loaded with No. 6 shot. The jury, consisting of the following named persons, C. H. Bonham, G. W. Walker, George Tonzi, Joseph Patterson, Giovanni Motroni, and Angelo Motroni, returned the following verdict: "That deceased came to his death from a gunshot wound, inflicted by himself with suicidal intent, while temporarily insane."

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## DOCUMENTS RECORDED.

DEEDS.

Geo. A. Gritton et ux to Orsini Tam—Und. 1-3 of land in section 23, township 7 north, range 12 east; \$1.  
 Mrs. E. J. Sowden to Frank Clemmens et ux—Lot 13, block 22, Sutter; \$500.

## MINING RECORDS.

Proof of labor of Mrs. C. P. Bearce on Bonanza place claim in Volcano district, Labor expended, \$100.  
 Location notice of S. Giuliani et al.—New Century placer in Volcano mining district.

## MISCELLANEOUS RECORDS.

T. W. Page Bruckon to E. A. Heydenfeldt—Assignment of bond on Slaughterhouse quartz claim, near Oleta.  
 Ira Hill Reed to John J. Cramer—Six-months lease on mining machinery; \$3200.

## LIS PENDENS.

Robt. F. Simpson exec., &c., vs. Giacomo Oneto et al.—Suit to quiet title to 1-10 of Loyal Lodge Q. M. in Drytown mining district.  
 Julius Lowenthal vs. Victor E. Montirichard et al.—Suit for deed to 1-3 of Slaughterhouse Q. claim near Oleta.

## SATISFACTION OF MORTGAGE.

Sat. ack. by John Barton, mortgagee, of mortgage executed by John A. Butterfield—Lot 8, block 2, Jackson.

## From Our Exchanges.

Ione Echo.

On Tuesday Robert Davis, accused of attempting the life of Al Smith of Carbondale, was arraigned before Justice McCauley in this city, and held in the sum of \$1000 in the superior court.

Fred Raab, the Sutter Creek Hiveryman, has sold his stable, business, and property to W. Kerr of Amador City. The latter sold the Amador stable to John Gambert of the Central house. Mr. Raab has bought a half interest in the Sutter Creek meat market from Fred Werner.

Yesterday forenoon Charley Fairchild's year-old boy fell and broke his arm. Dr. Adams set the injured member.

A few days ago J. W. Jones jumped from a wagon he thought was tipping over, and severely injured his right foot. The gentleman has not been in good health of late, and the injury confines him to his home.

At about midnight last Wednesday, fire was started in the Vicini house in Mount Echo district, beyond a doubt by some miscreant. An aged Spaniard was sleeping in the cellar, and he barely escaped with his life. His efforts prevented the fire spreading to the adjacent dry feed, but the house was destroyed. At about the same time the large Allen barn was set on fire and burned, together with about 100 acres of dry feed. The light from the fire awoke the Tonzi family, who turned out and fought the flames for several hours, succeeding in preventing further destruction.

Placerville Nugget.

Willie J. Roberts of Kelsey, fell down the shaft at the McGraw mine to-day, and was injured dangerously if not fatal. How the accident happened is not known. The men in the mine heard him fall, but he dropped into the sump, and it was several minutes before they reached him. The boy was unconscious when taken out, but was revived. No bones are broken, apparently, but the injured boy is splitting a great deal of blood, and it is feared that he is hurt internally.

## Angels Record.

Last Saturday night a crowd got together and went hunting for a man who that morning had asked J. F. Jessier the reason why he was putting the crepe on the flag, and upon being told, said that he would put dirt on his flag. That night when the crowd went to his house after him he was not at home, and when he learned of the visit he left town, and is still in hiding, being afraid to come back. It was lucky for him that he was not found, for if he had been he would have been sorry.

## Tuloume Prospector.

Mrs. Ellen Burns, whose husband was killed in the Napoleon mine last June, has brought suit in the superior court of this county against Louis and Benjamin Williams, working in the mine, for damages in the sum of \$30,000.

## PLYMOUTH.

PLYMOUTH, Sept. 25.—Last Saturday a party was given in honor of Miss Minnie Hinkson of Amador, at the residence of Mrs. Annie Doman. Those participating in the evening's entertainment were: Misses Hattie Hinkson, Lucy Rowe, Mabel Gerrans, Laura Dugan, Maeme Doman, Amy Slavich, Alma Dugan, Katie Bunker, Ella Slavich and Olga Gorrans; Messrs. Will Nicholas, Clarence Ball, George Devore, Lawrence Ball, Leslie Gordon, and Johnnie Bunker. After partaking of a tample supper, the guests were favored with an instrumental solo by Miss Maeme Doman. Many games were indulged in and songs sang. Twelve o'clock found the guests dispersing to their homes, well satisfied with the evening's fun.

School opened Monday, September 16, with Fred Ball as principal, and Miss Hattie Hinkson as assistant.

Mrs. A. Wilson of Nortuna, Arizona, came over from the canyon and spent a day or two of this week here with relatives.

Miss Lucy Rowe went Monday to Sutter Creek to visit, and returned home this morning.

Miss Minnie Hinkson of Amador was the guest of Miss Maeme Doman last week.

Miss Emma Lloyd of Oakland spent a few weeks here with old friends. A reception was tendered the young lady last Thursday at the home of Wm. Axford. Our Plymouth band was present and rendered some of its appropriate selections. All who attended had a very enjoyable time.

Mrs. Nellie Mitchell, Grand President of the Rebekahs, visited us last Thursday.

Mesdames Gray and Gregory and Miss Higgins of Sutter Creek visited the Plymouth Rebekah lodge Sept. 20th. Miss Grace Wren was initiated as a member.

A dance was given here last Saturday, Sept. 21, by Mrs. Chamberlain. Although smallpox visited our town about a month ago, there are no cases in town at present. OMEGO.

## BORN.

KUCHENBECKER.—Near Amador City, Sept. 17, 1901, to Mr. and Mrs. Kuchenbecker, a daughter.

## MARRIED.

BRADLEY-PARKS.—At the residence of the bride's parents, at Kennedy mine, September 28, 1901, by Rev. E. A. Morrow, Frederick W. Bradley, of San Francisco, to Miss Mary Elizabeth Parks of Jackson.

RICHARDS-SHOW.—At the home of the bride's father, in Sutter Creek Sept. 25, 1901, by Rev. Wm. Tunon, Charles E. Richards to Miss Daisy H. Show, both of Sutter Creek.

## DIED.

COAD.—At Gwinville, September 19, 1901. George Coad, a native of Canada, aged 44 years.

DENNIS.—At Mount Echo, September 23, 1901, Andrew Jackson Dennis, a native of Illinois, aged 65 years.

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FOR SALE—About half way between Sutter and Jackson on the Volcano road, ranch of 55 acres, with dwelling house, good barns and out buildings, good orchard in bearing, good well and springs and under the Amador Canal. Horses and wagons and farming implements. Several head of stock. Poultry, etc. For particulars inquire at this office.

ESTRAY NOTICE.—A number of HOGS have strayed from the ranch of Mountain Springs, and are destroying my property. The owner can have the same by paying expenses and damages to JOHN HODDA, Mountain Springs, Sept. 12, 1901.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.—San Francisco real estate for a business in Amador County. Mercantile business preferred. Call or address Ledger office.

FOR SALE.—A COMPLETE SET OF 12 stage saws, with side wings, etc., good for sale cheap. Apply this office.

FOR SALE—LOT OF FOLDING CHAIRS, also settees, suitable for hall or church. Settees \$100 each; chairs 50 cents each. Apply this office.

BUILDING LOTS FRONTING ON STUMP and Center streets; lots 50 x 130 feet; for sale cheap. Apply Ledger office.

FOR SALE—One Lightning Quartz Mill, complete, water wheel, amalgamating plate, rubber belts, and pulleys. Will crush 100 lbs. quartz per hour; as good as new, only been in use three months; has been operating in Sutter Creek, California, and is now at Amador City. Will sell for \$800. Apply to E. KUCHENBECKER, Amador City, sep 27

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.—San Francisco real estate and cash for a mountain ranch. Call or address Ledger office.

TO PRINTERS.—A COMPLETE OUTFIT for a Seven or Eight Column Press, including Washington Hand Press, body and dis. gal type, rules leads, etc. Will be sold cheap for cash. Also Mustang Mallet and Malleting Outfit, good as new. Address, Ledger office, Jackson, Cal.

## STORE FIXTURES.

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## Notice of Sale of Real Estate at Private Sale.

UNDER AUTHORITY OF AN ORDER OF sale granted by the Superior Court of Amador County, California, dated the 10th day of September, 1901, I, J. F. Davis, do hereby give notice that I will sell at private sale the following described real estate: The east half of the 34th section of T. 20 N. and R. 12 E., of the 1st Meridian, and west half of northeast quarter of section 35, township 5 north, range 14 east, M. D. & M. State of California, within the town of Summit street, Jackson, Amador county, California. Terms of sale, for cash, gold coin of the United States, ten per cent of the bid payable at the time of sale, and the balance upon confirmation by the Superior Court of Amador County, State of California. Dated, September 25, 1901.

MORRIS BRINN, Administrator of the estate of Peter N. Barnhart, deceased. 9-13-13

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## Notice of Meeting.

JACKSON, AMADOR COUNTY, CAL.

September 23rd, 1901.

To the members of the Amador County Miners' Association: TAKE NOTICE.—That a meeting of the Amador County Miners' Association will be held at Sutter Creek, California, on WEDNESDAY, the 26th day of OCTOBER, A. D. 1901, for the purpose of electing officers for the year, and appointing delegates to the Convention of the California Miners' Association which meets in San Francisco October 2nd, 3rd and 4th, 1901.

A large attendance of members and those qualified to become members, is earnestly requested. JAMES E. DYE, Secretary. sep 25

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## LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK

## Doings in and Around the County Seat.

## Fire Company's Hose Ruined—Native Sons at Sutter Creek—Lightning Causes Damage.

For the best tomatoes in town go to Cain's.

PIONEER FLOUR always has been and still is the best.

If you have lost your appetite, call at Caminetti's Market and you can find it.

James Mushett returned home from a week's visit to the State Fair at Sacramento.

W. J. McGee went to San Francisco this morning. He expects to return October 6th.

Frozen oysters at all times, and fresh fish every Thursday at Caminetti's Central Market.

Your medicine chest is incomplete if it is not stocked with Jesse Moore "AA" Whiskey.

The sheriff's office underwent a thorough cleaning process this week, and next week he will renovate the jail.

Miss Lydia Podesta left yesterday for San Francisco, where she will spend a few weeks in visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. D. Marre left last Saturday for San Francisco. She was accompanied by her father, A. Chichizola, who goes to the city for medical treatment.

Fresh consignment of pig's feet, Salam, compressed ham, Swiss and Italian cheese, blotters and herring at Caminetti's Central Market.

Attorney J. W. Caldwell was confined to his home a portion of last week with a severe cold. We are pleased to see Mr. Caldwell around again.

Mrs. Delahide, the milliner, accompanied by Miss Kelly, the expert trimmer, returned from San Francisco a few days ago, and will be ready for business at once.

J. P. Little, who has taught school in several places in this county, but who is now in Stockton with his family, has one of his children dangerously sick with typhoid fever.

P. C. Buffington, who has been enjoying himself in San Francisco for several weeks, returned to Jackson Tuesday evening, and was warmly greeted by many friends.

Henry Braydon, Harris, N. C., says: "I took medicine 20 years for asthma but one bottle of One Minute Cough Cure did me more good than any thing else during that time. Best Cough Cure." Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

Geo. Luse has taken the contract to paint the Catholic church, and has had two or three men on the job for the past week. When finished, the church, with its neat fence in front, will have a very natty appearance.

Charles H. Richards, the grocery merchant of Sutter Creek, and Miss Daisy Shaw were married last Wednesday by Rev. Wm. Tuson, and left at once for a trip. Many and sincere were the congratulations, for they were both very popular, and it is the opinion of their friends that they were exactly suited to each other.

We have received a photograph of a group of children who participated in the performance of "Golden Hair" in Love's Hall, recently. The picture was taken by Mr. McMillan, the Jackson artist, and reflects great credit upon his skill. There are 22 children in the group, and every face is as clear-cut and distinct as if taken separately. It is certainly an achievement that any artist might be proud of.

Judson C. Jones, who sued Birdie Burns Jones for divorce, has just been granted a decree on the grounds of desertion. The defendant failed to appear, and judgment was rendered by default. Attorney Neil A. Macquarrie appeared for the plaintiff. The parties to the suit were residents of Ione.

Hon. R. C. Rust, C. B. Ardito, Wm. Going, Wm. Jones, and W. H. Willis visited Sutter Creek last Friday night to attend the initiation of a couple of candidates into Amador Parlor No. 17, N. S. G. W. After the ceremonies came refreshments, and the Jackson contingent, being modest, was content with ice cream.

Many physicians are now prescribing Kodol Dyspepsia Cure regularly having found that it is the best prescription that can be written because it is the one preparation which contains the elements necessary to digest not only some kinds of food but all kind and it therefore cures indigestion and dyspepsia no matter what its cause. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

We understand that 150 feet of the fire company's hose was ruined at the fire on Main street about three months ago. The intense heat had the effect, burning the rubber so that it will not stand any pressure. It may turn out that the other hose is damaged also. This ought to be looked into. It would be a pretty predicament for a fire to occur and find the town without any means of fighting it, owing to damaged hose.

Frank L. Pitt and wife of Boulder Creek, Santa Cruz county, were in Jackson Wednesday and Thursday of last week. Mr. Pitt formerly lived in this county. In fact he spent his boyhood days near Scottsville. He moved with his parents to Santa Cruz county nearly 20 years ago. He now owns a shingle mill at Boulder creek, and is doing very well, and is also happily married. His many friends in this section will be very glad to hear of his success. After an absence of nearly 10 years from the old town he could scarcely realize that it was the same place, so wonderfully has Jackson grown in the interim.

To keep healthy you should eat plenty of olives. You can get good ones at Caminetti's Central Market.

Sid Darling, 1012 Howard st., Port Huron, Mich., writes: "I have tried many pills and laxatives, but De Witt's Little Early Risers are by far the best pills I have ever used." They never gripe. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

Last Wednesday, during the storm, the lightning struck one of the telegraph wires at the Jackson brewery, and running down a post, set fire to a box. An alarm was sounded, but the blaze was extinguished in a few moments, and danger over before the crowd, that always turns out to a fire, could reach the building.

The Ledger office is indebted to R. W. Ketcham for a box of fine table grapes, for which we hereby tender our thanks. Mr. Ketcham reports that the present season he has had the finest crop of grapes ever grown in his vineyard. He does not think the heavy rain this week will do any material damage to the fruit crop. For a number of years he raised prunes of the best quality, and sun-dried them for market. He found that this crop did not pay so he dug up the prune trees, and planted grapes in their stead. Grapes give a better return for the money and labor invested.

## Divorce Granted.

Mary G. Gothie was granted a divorce a few days since, from John W. Gothie by the superior court of the city and county of San Francisco, on the ground of his failure to provide, notice of which appeared in the San Francisco daily papers at the time. Custody of the minor child, Burt, was awarded to Mrs. Gothie by the decree of divorce. Mr. and Mrs. Gothie were residents of Sutter Creek, in this county, for a number of years, and about twelve years ago removed to Oakland for the purpose of educating her children, since which time she has continued to reside in Oakland up to about two years ago, when she removed to San Francisco, where she has since resided.

## Rainfall.

The first rains of the season commenced last Saturday, when a slight shower, sufficient to lay the dust, occurred. During Sunday night, however, a heavy storm set in. A heavy rain fell nearly all day Monday, accompanied by thunder and lightning, and high winds. It was the severest storm experienced in this section at this season for many years. The rain was sufficient to start the grass, and in a few days the hills will take on their verdant hue. As measured by the rain gauge at the Ledger office, the rainfall is as follows:

Sept. 21.....	0.09
Sept. 23.....	1.56
Total.....	1.65 inches

## Ross Morgan Hurt.

Ross Morgan, the well-known surveyor of Sutter Creek, met with an accident last Saturday that will disable him for some time. Mr. Morgan was surveying in the neighborhood of the Valparaiso mine when the accident occurred. It had rained and the ground was slippery, and he lost his balance and fell, breaking one of the bones in his right leg. He was taken to the Zeila mine, and Dr. Gall was sent for. When the doctor arrived he found the patient in great pain, which he soon relieved. The leg was fixed up and Mr. Morgan was sent to his home in Sutter Creek, where he is improving rapidly.

## Gratefully Acknowledged.

"Mr. and Mrs. James F. Parks send to the Amador Ledger, with their compliments, a case of champagne, upon the marriage of their daughter, Mary Elizabeth, with Frederick Worthen Bradlow, Sept. 26, 1901."

The above note was found in the case referred to, which was left at our office by Henry Marre. It proved to be the finest brand of the French article kept by Marre Bros., and in behalf of the Ledger staff we gratefully acknowledge the compliment, and express the hope that the married life so auspiciously begun, will be attended with unalloyed happiness throughout life's long journey.

## Died in Agony.

On Tuesday last week Mrs. J. P. Fenk of Ione, died in great agony, after a few hours illness. She had been feeling indisposed for a couple of days, but thought the feeling would pass away. Tuesday afternoon Dr. Frary was called in, and did all that could be done to relieve her agony, but could not do so. She stated to the doctor that she had eaten some grapes and drank some sweet cider. She died in great pain at about six o'clock. An autopsy was held and revealed the fact that she died of spinal meningitis in its most acute form. She was buried in the Ione cemetery Thursday afternoon. She leaves a husband and two small children.

## His Eye Cured.

W. Tyke, the young man who was injured by being struck in the left eye in the shaft of the Kennedy mine about two weeks ago, returned from San Francisco, where he went for treatment. While in the city he was under the care of Dr. George H. Towers, who has succeeded in restoring the sight, and in a few days he will be able to discard all shades and bandages, and return to work.

## AMADOR CITY.

AMADOR CITY, Sept. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. Rule returned Wednesday, after a short visit with relatives in Jackson.

Rev. Burdett and family returned Wednesday eve, ready for another year's work, and the town people are glad to welcome him back.

John Whitford of Napa, is visiting friends in Amador.

J. R. Tregloan returned from the city Saturday, where he had been for a short visit with relatives. E. LOIS.

## Mining News.

Shenandoah.—Samuel K. Thornton, one of the most experienced and practical miners of Amador county, is in charge at present of the Shenandoah mine near Plymouth, and has recently purchased the hoisting machinery at the Tracy mine near Carson, which he is moving to his property in Amador. Speaking of the work on the Shenandoah mine, he said that a shaft had been sunk to a depth of 500 feet, and levels run to develop the pay shoots, and demonstrate their size and quality. From the bottom of this shaft a level 600 feet had been run to the south, and then an upraise of 400 feet connected with a shaft of 100 feet to the surface. This was all his old machinery worked off. With the new hoist just purchased, which has a capacity for sinking 2500, he will at once continue the south shaft to a depth of 500 feet without a level. By that time he considers that the mine will be in shape to prospect.—Prospect.

Fritzell & Evans Claim.—This gravel claim, situated on Rancheria creek, is making satisfactory progress toward the inauguration of actual mining operations. The buildings, comprising boarding house, offices, etc., are completed, and the mill is nearly finished. It is of the roller kind. The gravel is of the cement character and has to be reduced by crushing the same as quartz. It is estimated that the mill, which is of a new pattern, will handle 250 tons per day. The pay streak is got by drifting, the bank, we are told, is over 100 feet high. Fifteen men are employed at present, in digging ditches and preparing to lay pipe.

Kaukahee.—This property is situated in Pioneer district, about a mile and a half east of Defender. It is owned by J. B. Dille, who is operating it himself. He has run a tunnel into the hill, and is now about 120 feet from surface. He has not reached the ledge yet. Ore as high as \$54 per ton has been taken from this property.

## M. E. Church.

The Rev. F. A. Morrow has published an itemized statement of receipts and disbursements of the Jackson M. E. church during the past two years of his pastorate. From this it appears that the receipts for the first year amounted to \$2562.30 and for the second year \$2353.68, making a total of \$4915.98 for the two years. Of this sum \$1251.80 was paid for pastor's salary during the first year, and \$1584.30 the second. \$641.37 was collected toward paying off the property. In fact the church and the lot adjoining, are now entirely free from debt. Rev. Mr. Morrow has adopted the praiseworthy method in connection with his ministry of making a complete financial statement at the close of his pastorate in every charge to which he has been stationed. The reverend gentleman and Mrs. Morrow returned from conference Wednesday of last week for the purpose of settling their affairs here. They left for their new field of labor, at Antioch, Contra Costa county, yesterday, driving their own horse and buggy as far as Stockton, and from there proceeding by boat to their destination.

Since the report was printed the rev. gentleman informs us that he has received subscription on salary account amounting to \$20, in sums ranging from 50c to \$12.

## Obituary.

George Coad, employed as blacksmith at the Gwin mine, died on Thursday, the 19th instant. The disease that caused his death is called in medical phraseology, suppurative glaucoma of both eyes, due to a weakened system caused by previous illness. The eyes decayed, the disease eventually extending to vital organs. Several doctors were called in consultation on the case, but nothing could be done to arrest the march of the malady to a fatal termination. The remains were interred in the Jackson cemetery on Saturday, under the auspices of the K. of P. Lodge, of which organization the deceased was a member. Deceased leaves a wife and two sons. He also has a step-mother and two step-brothers, and one sister in Canada. He was highly esteemed by all who knew him. He was insured in the New England Life Insurance Company for \$1000.

## Quietly Wedded.

On Wednesday, September 18, at noon, a pretty wedding was quietly celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Samuels, 1639 O'Farrell street, San Francisco, when their daughter, Annette, was married to Mr. Sol Schubener. The home was tastefully decorated in pink and green. Rev. Dr. Myers officiated. The bride looked charming, being attended by her sister, Miriam M. Samuels, who acted as maid of honor. The many friends and relatives present attested the popularity of the young couple. After breakfast was served Mr. and Mrs. Schubener left for an extended trip through Southern California, after which they will reside in Denio, Oregon.

## A Night of Terror.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she would die from Pneumonia before morning" writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, which had more than once saved her life, and cured her of Consumption. After taking, she slept all night. Further use entirely cured her." This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung Diseases. Only 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at D. B. Spagnoli's drug store.

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic cures Malaria. 50c. may 24-6m.

A never failing cure for cuts, burns, scalds, ulcer wounds and sores is De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. A most soothing and healing remedy for all skin affections. Accept only the genuine. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

Give us daily some good bread. Pioneer Flour makes the best. 4-4-4\*

## CORRESPONDENTS' COLUMN

## News From Other Places By Our Own Writers.

## Memorial Services at Drytown and Shenandoah Valley—A Heavy Rainstorm.

DRYTOWN, Sept. 23.—While I am writing, our town is being blessed with a thorough soaking, but no one was ready for it. The blacksmith could only work between showers on account of a leaky roof directly over the anvil, and other places. The hotel cook says he will have a new life preserver for himself and his range before the next storm arrives, and Fred says he expects to have a new roof on his shop before winter.

Erle McWayne has accepted a position as book-keeper and assayer for the Fremont Mining Company.

Mrs. Bicknell returned from a visit to Volcano, after an absence of several weeks.

The family of James Hammond moved from the Pocahontas mine to our town to-day, occupying the dwelling under the Masonic hall. Mr. Hammond and son William, are yet in Alaska.

Wm. Lee and family returned from the mountains last week.

Mrs. F. Giannini, with her son Eddie, who has been under the doctor's care in San Francisco during the past six weeks, returned home Sunday.

The remains of Andrew Dennis, who committed suicide last Friday evening, were buried here on Sunday afternoon.

On last Thursday afternoon memorial services for our late president, Wm. McKinley, were held in the M. E. church, nearly all the town folks being present. F. B. LeMoine was selected chairman, and Miss Mabel Wheeler, organist. After a few remarks by the chairman, the congregation arose and sang "America." Some selections were read from books of the President's favorite authors, by Miss Mayme Wheeler. The song, "Lead Kindly Light," was sung, after which the following resolution was read and unanimously adopted:

The President is dead. The murderous hand of an assassin has ruthlessly cut short the great life of William McKinley, the beloved President of the United States, at a time when, with a love for all, and offense toward none, his wise counsel and strong statesmanship were being exerted in the administration of our national affairs, and in the midst of his loving countrymen, who proudly looked upon him as the personification of all that is good, grand, and glorious of mankind. His untimely death is a fearful blow to civilization, and overwhelms the American people with an irreparable loss.

Whereas, The people of Drytown and vicinity deeply mourns with all America this terrible affliction. We loved him for the goodness of his heart, for his lofty patriotism, and for the abilities continuously manifested by him in the discharge of the arduous and complicated duties of his exalted station.

Resolved, That we, the citizens of Drytown and vicinity, do hereby give expression to our heartfelt grief at the dreadful calamity that has overtaken the nation in the tragic death of so great and so good a man. As a citizen we honored him, as a patriot we followed him, and now, as true American people, we mourn him.

Resolved, That we here record our sorrow and grief, and express our conviction that the name of William McKinley will ever live in the hearts of his people. And to the bereaved widow we extend our deepest heartfelt sympathy, and we hope that she will bear her sorrowful bereavement with the courage and fortitude which have ever distinguished her, and which made her the support and helpmate of her illustrious husband. Peace to his ashes.

After which, "Nearer my God, to Thee," was sung by the audience, which marked the close of the meeting. HIX.

## SHENANDOAH VALLEY.

SHENANDOAH VALLEY, Sept. 24.—Last Thursday was observed in the Valley as memorial day for the dead president. School was dismissed for the day, and in the afternoon a number of our people gathered at the schoolhouse to join in the services. The programs was as follows: Hymn, "Nearer, my God, to Thee;" Prayer, Rev. S. H. Phillips; Hymn, "Thy Will be Done;" Address, Rev. S. H. Phillips; Remarks by citizens; Hymn, "God be with you;" Benediction. Sam and Joe Kasper were called to Ione last Wednesday through the death of their sister, Lizzie Fenk. Mrs. Fenk was well known around here, having made her home with her uncle, Frank Uhlinger, before her marriage, and her early death is regretted by her friends.

Mrs. M. Stillwagon has returned from a visit to Grizzly Flat.

Miss Bernice Barnes of Pine Grove, is staying with Mrs. J. E. Walton.

A. J. Crain is having a two-story dwelling erected. Hugh H. Crain is doing the work.

A pleasant party was given at the Davis home last Wednesday evening in honor of Joseph Davis' birthday. Ice cream, cake, and other good things were served towards midnight, and in the small hours the party dispersed, wishing Joe many another birthday.

Dust and heat are things of the past—or the future. One of the heaviest rains for the month did away with both last Monday. Some damage was done to hay still in the fields, and much inconvenience, if not loss, to the fruit-growers. The conspicuous absence of dust is a great relief to travelers and housekeepers.

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Stuffed olives, Caviar, Pate de Foie Gras. Imp., Kipper Herring, at Caminetti's Central Market.

## A NOTABLE WEDDING.

Miss Parks of Kennedy and Frederick W. Bradley, a Mining Magnate of San Francisco, United in Wedlock.

The most notable wedding that has taken place in the history of Amador county within our recollection, was celebrated at noon yesterday, at the Parks' residence at the Kennedy mine. The happy bride is Miss Mary Elizabeth, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Parks, who is conceded to be one of the most charming and attractive young ladies—personally, socially and intellectually—in Amador county. The groom is Frederick W. Bradley, a well known mining engineer of San Francisco.

The Parks' residence was tastefully decorated for the occasion. The front room in white, sitting room in pink, and the dining room in white, with scores of white and pink carnations, orchids, lilies of the valley and roses sent from the city.

The bride was attired in a lovely white tulle, foundation covered with tucked chiffon, and flounce and waist trimmings of chantilla lace, with sunburst of diamonds at throat, a crescent of pearls and diamonds holding veil. She wore orange blossoms and carried bride's shoes. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. F. A. Morrow. Sweet strains of music preceded the wedding. The couple were married under a fishnet bower of brake and pink roses. The bride was ushered in on the arm of her father, to the strains of the Lohengren march, which was played by her friend, Miss Grace Bertz of San Francisco. Miss Ida LeNoir attended the bride as maid of honor, and the groom was accompanied by Col. Jeff E. Doolittle as best man. Everything passed off smoothly without the slightest jar in the arrangements.

An elaborate wedding breakfast followed the ceremony, at which over 40 participated. Judge Davis presided as toast master, and kept the company in a merry mood by his jovial sallies. Mr. Bradley, Col. Doolittle, W. F. Delet, Senator Voorhees, Dr. Gall, F. Thomas, Judge Rust, L. B. Hogue, J. F. Parks, and Rev. F. A. Morrow responded to toasts. General hilarity prevailed, and showers of rice were scattered to betoken the good wishes of the guests for the future happiness of the couple so auspiciously launched on the sea of matrimony.

The bride cut the bride cake, concealed in which were money, a ring, and a thimble. It was announced that the lucky money finder will have a rich husband, the ring finder a speedy marriage, and the thimble finder is destined to be an old maid or a bachelor, which created much merriment.

The list of guests invited to witness the wedding ceremony was as follows: Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Davis, Senator and Mrs. Voorhees, Miss Voorhees, Col. and Mrs. Doolittle, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Flohart, Mr. and Mrs. Harrington, Miss Boorman, Mr. W. F. Delet, Miss Carson, Miss LeNoir, Mrs. V. Bradley, Miss Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Legg, Mr. and Mrs. Hogue, Miss Grace Bertz, Miss Hazel Bertz, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Marre, Dr. and Mrs. Gall, Judge and Mrs. R. C. Rust, Mr. and Mrs. Renno, Mr. F. P. Thomas, Mrs. E. J. LeNoir, Misses Meehan, Cademartori, Clough, Mrs. E. B. Parks, Hon. and Mrs. Jas. H. Lay, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Melton, Mr. Alce Parks, Mr. Tom Parks, Miss Sue Parks, Mr. Jewett Adams, Mrs. Lucy Ham, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Ham, Mr. and Mrs. Alec Ham, Mrs. Mary Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Lepley, Mr. C. Whitford, Mr. and Mrs. T. Johns, Mr. and Mrs. Malted, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Schuyler, Capt. Couch, Mr. Wm. Mein, Mr. and Mrs. John Hays Hammond, Mr. H. A. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Clement, Mrs. E. J. Stoddart and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stark, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Legg, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Eek, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wartenwebe, Mr. James K. Moffit, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Stow, Mr. Aaron Frost, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shissler, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Burbridge, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rust, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. L. Robinson, H. H. Webb, Mr. H. Lyne, Mr. C. A. Molson, Mr. P. R. Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Shattuck, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Shattuck, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Englebright, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bratner, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Crocker, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Granger, Judge and Mrs. C. H. Lindley, Mr. and Mrs. Lundy B. Hogue, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Burch, Dr. and Mrs. Hugh France, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Simmons, Mr. F. A. Shearer, Mr. Geo. A. Sonneman, Judge and Mrs. Niles Searls, Prof. L. B. Christy, Mrs. Mary Mein, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Starr, Mr. James A. White, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. C. Derby, Mr. R. A. Kinzie, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Corning, Dr. and Mrs. G. L. Shearer, Mrs. Robt. Mein, Dr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Wentworth, Mr. and Mrs. John H. MacKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Macdonald, Miss Mary Polson, Miss Helen Bradley, Mr. D. O. Mills, Mr. C. R. Corning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Davis, Senator and Mrs. Voorhees, Miss Voorhees, Col. and Mrs. Doolittle, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Flohart, Mr. and Mrs. Harrington, Miss Boorman, Mr. W. F. Delet, Miss Carson, Miss LeNoir, Mrs. V. Bradley, Miss Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Legg, Mr. and Mrs. Hogue, Miss Grace Bertz, Miss Hazel Bertz, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Marre, Dr. and Mrs. Gall, Judge and Mrs. R. C. Rust, Mr. and Mrs. Renno, Mr. F. P. Thomas, Mrs. E. J. LeNoir, Misses Meehan, Cademartori, Clough, Mrs. E. B. Parks, Hon. and Mrs. Jas. H. Lay, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Melton, Mr. Alce Parks, Mr. Tom Parks, Miss Sue Parks, Mr. Jewett Adams, Mrs. Lucy Ham, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Ham, Mr. and Mrs. Alec Ham, Mrs. Mary Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Lepley, Mr. C. Whitford, Mr. and Mrs. T. Johns, Mr. and Mrs. Malted, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Schuyler, Capt. Couch, Mr. Wm. Mein, Mr. and Mrs. John Hays Hammond, Mr. H. A. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Clement, Mrs. E. J. Stoddart and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stark, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Legg, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Eek, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wartenwebe, Mr. James K. Moffit, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Stow, Mr. Aaron Frost, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shissler, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Burbridge, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rust, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. L. Robinson, H. H. Webb, Mr. H. Lyne, Mr. C. A. Molson, Mr. P. R. Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Shattuck, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Shattuck, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Englebright, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bratner, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Crocker, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Granger, Judge and Mrs. C. H. Lindley, Mr. and Mrs. Lundy B. Hogue, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Burch, Dr. and Mrs. Hugh France, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Simmons, Mr. F. A. Shearer, Mr. Geo. A. Sonneman, Judge and Mrs. Niles Searls, Prof. L. B. Christy, Mrs. Mary Mein, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Starr, Mr. James A. White, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. C. Derby, Mr. R. A. Kinzie, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Corning, Dr. and Mrs. G. L. Shearer, Mrs. Robt. Mein, Dr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Wentworth, Mr. and Mrs. John H. MacKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Macdonald, Miss Mary Polson, Miss Helen Bradley, Mr. D. O. Mills, Mr. C. R. Corning.

MR. GEO. COAD AND SON, Gwinmine, Sept. 23, 1901.

Don't wait until you become chronically constipated but take De Witt's Little Early Risers now and then. They will keep your liver and bowels in good order. Easy to take. Safe pills. Kerr's Pharmacy, Jackson.

## An Auspicious Beginning.

The Ione academy opened last Monday, the 23d inst., under the most favorable circumstances. The building will accommodate about sixty students. It is newly furnished, and conveniently located. The instructor in charge is recognized by the leading educators of the state, as a gentleman of superior attainments, and one in every way qualified for the position. Many of the leading citizens of Ione and the surrounding country were present at the opening exercises, also representatives from Jackson valley, Carbondale, Mt. Echo, and Jackson. Among the speakers present was the county superintendent of schools, George A. Gordon, who is very enthusiastic and hopeful for its success. Twenty students were present at the opening, and eight others have asked for admission. Much honor is due these students for their endorsement of and faith in this enterprise, by their act in being first to enter. Upon these students rests a great responsibility, which we hope they fully realize. The success of this institution of learning depends, largely, upon their achievements. The Ione academy is a concentration of the pride of the progressive citizens of the picturesque and healthful little city in which the academy is located. Everybody throughout Amador county should lead a helping hand to this pioneer effort to advance the educational interests of our county.

## Caved On.

Martin Juka had a remarkable escape from death last Monday, while working in the Onaida mine. He was employed at the 1800 level, when a mass of rock, estimated at thirty tons, fell, completely covering him up. The large rocks fell in such a manner as to protect him from the full force of the falling debris. It took three or four men fully an hour to liberate him. He was severely bruised about the head, back and hands, but escaped without serious injury. No bones were broken. He was removed to his boarding house at his relative's, John Juka, where he is doing nicely, and expects to be able to return to work in a week or two. He is 18 years of age.

## Two Trains on Ione Road.

We are informed that Hon. E. C. Voorheis this week received a letter from President Hays, of the Southern Pacific, that the company contemplates in the near future putting on two passenger trains daily between Ione and Galt, similar to the service on the Valley Spring road. This will be a great convenience to the people of Amador county, as it is probable that arrangements will be made by which passengers by this late train will be able to reach San Francisco the same day.

## Card of Thanks.

To all kind friends who rendered assistance in any way during the last sickness and funeral ceremonies in their recent bereavement, the undersigned tender their heartfelt thanks.

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## THE DAILY'S.

Open in Jackson Thursday, October 3d. 14 People in All.

This well-known company will soon be with you presenting as an additional attraction, the well-known romantic actor, Mr. Frank Readick, who will without a doubt, become as great a favorite here as he has proved himself elsewhere, while his company, "Monte Cristo Jr.," is touring the coast west. He has returned to the coast to meet his old friends and renew former triumphs. Mr. Readick is of a commanding stage presence, a clear baritone voice, and an intense style of acting that is particularly pleasing to lovers of the drama. He will be supported by such well-known members of the Daily Stock Company as Margaret Lewis, a big favorite with eastern players, E. Nannary, a Daily fixture, Pauline Sayne, J. P. Carroll, Edgar Rice and others.

The opening production will be "The Cherry Tree Homestead." Tuesday night, "Mother and Son;" Wednesday evening, "The Defaulter."

This company is too well-known here to make any comment. Mr. Daily has always maintained a high standard for his company, and their annual tours are always greeted by crowded houses.

## NOTICE.

When you talk about the wonderful buys you have made in the past, in clothing, do not forget that everything you have done in regard to buying clothing, can be duplicated at the present day in my Clothing and Tailoring Department Store, at all the way from 5 per cent to 35 per cent less than you



